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**SUPPLEMENTAL
Office Action Summary**

Application No. 09/992,084	Applicant(s) JIANG ET AL
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Period for Reply

A SHORTENED STATUTORY PERIOD FOR REPLY IS SET TO EXPIRE 3 MONTH(S) FROM THE MAILING DATE OF THIS COMMUNICATION.

- Extensions of time may be available under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a). In no event, however, may a reply be timely filed after SIX (6) MONTHS from the mailing date of this communication.
- If the period for reply specified above is less than thirty (30) days, a reply within the statutory minimum of thirty (30) days will be considered timely.
- If NO period for reply is specified above, such period shall, by default, expire SIX (6) MONTHS from the mailing date of this communication.
- Failure to reply within the set or extended period for reply will, by statute, cause the application to become ABANDONED (35 U.S.C. § 133).

Status

SUPPLEMENTAL **MAILED**
 ~~Responsive~~ to communication(s) on MAY 29, 2003

- This action is FINAL.
- Since this application is in condition for allowance except for formal matters, prosecution as to the merits is closed in accordance with the practice under *Ex parte Quayle*, 1935 C.D. 11; 453 O.G. 213.

Disposition of Claims

- Claim(s) 10-21, 30-42 AND 44 is/are pending in the application.
- Of the above claim(s) 12-15, 18 AND 19 is/are withdrawn from consideration.
- Claim(s) 30-42 is/are allowed.
- Claim(s) 10, 11, 20 AND 44 is/are rejected.
- Claim(s) 16, 17 AND 21 is/are objected to.
- Claim(s) 10-21, 30-42 AND 44 are subject to restriction or election requirement.

Application Papers

- See the attached Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review, PTO-948.
- The proposed drawing correction, filed on _____ is approved disapproved.
- The drawing(s) filed on _____ is/are objected to by the Examiner.
- The specification is objected to by the Examiner.
- The oath or declaration is objected to by the Examiner.

Priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119 (a)-(d)

- Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d).
 - All Some* None of the CERTIFIED copies of the priority documents have been received.
 - received in Application No. (Series Code/Serial Number) _____.
 - received in this national stage application from the International Bureau (PCT Rule 17.2(a)).

*Certified copies not received: _____.

Attachment(s)

<input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement(s), PTO-1449, Paper No(s). _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Interview Summary, PTO-413
<input type="checkbox"/> Notice of Reference(s) Cited, PTO-892	<input type="checkbox"/> Notice of Informal Patent Application, PTO-152
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SUPPLEMENTAL TO THE OFFICE ACTION MAILED MAY 29, 2003:

1. Applicants' attorney, Mr. Russ Chorush, called to the attention of the Examiner in a telephone conversation June 5, 2003, an error in the above-mentioned Office action, which error is regretted. Claim 11 should have been included in the 102(a)/103(a) rejection over Norris et al. 6,139,626 in paragraph 5, and should not have been objected to or indicated as provisionally allowable in paragraph 6; nor should the Examiner have included claim 11 in paragraph 7 in his statement for reasons for the indication of allowable subject matter. Also, Form PTO-326 have included claim 11 among the claims rejected, and not included claim 11 among the claims objected to.

2. Accordingly, in responding to the above-mentioned Office action, supplemented by this letter, applicants should do so as if claim 11 were among the claims rejected under 102(a)/103(a), over Norris et al. above in paragraph 5, and as if claim 11 were not among the claims mentioned in paragraphs 6 and 7, and as if Form PTO-326 listed claim 11 among the claims rejected, but not among the claims objected to. (See new PTO-326 herewith.)

3. The period for response to the Office action mailed May 29, 2003, supplemented by this letter, expires three months from the mailing date of this letter.

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4. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Examiner Lovering whose telephone number is (703) 308-0443. The examiner can normally be reached on Mon.-Fri. from 7:30 A.M. to 4:00 P.M.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Robert Dawson, can be reached on (703) 308-2340. The fax phone number for this Group is (703) 872-9310.

Any inquiry of a general nature or relating to the status of this application or proceeding should be directed to the Group receptionist whose telephone number is (703) 308-0661.

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June 9, 2003

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